

Message

From: Field, Jeff [Field.Jeff@epa.gov]
Sent: 5/28/2019 1:56:18 PM
To: Terriquez, Joe [terriquez.joe@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Alt En

Excellent. Poke HQs again.

From: Terriquez, Joe
Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2019 8:54 AM
To: Field, Jeff <Field.Jeff@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Alt En

Jeff,

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I have reached out to Ray Merrill at HQ who is supposed to be Pest /Herb guy who would know how to do the testing but I have not heard back yet.

From: Field, Jeff
Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2019 8:44 AM
To: Terriquez, Joe <terriquez.joe@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Alt En

Joe,

Have you had any conversations with your colleagues at NDEQ about this facility?

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Jeff

From: Green, Jamie
Sent: Friday, May 24, 2019 12:34 PM
To: Field, Jeff <Field.Jeff@epa.gov>
Cc: Weekley, Erin <weekley.erin@epa.gov>; Hamera, Donald <Hamera.Don@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Alt En

Jeff –

We had a short discussion with NDEQ regarding this facility. AltEN produces ethanol from treated seed corn. I am not certain, but believe we have discussed some of the background before. I have e-mails with greater detail but in short:

- The seed corn is treated with fungicides and insecticides
- They process about 15, 000 bu a day and have 55K tons of wet cake material in piles both on and off of their site.
- The wet cake is a bi-product of the process that they have been land applying.
- Numerous complaints regarding odor and impacts to people, livestock, water quality, etc.
- During our call the state indicated it would be helpful if we could provide some input on the issues summarized below.

- We intend to follow-up on these but they have also indicated there were some air issues. I'm not clear whether they have had communication with the AD or your shop but wanted to make you aware. You may want to contact AD to see what, if anything, they know.
- I think Erin and I can provide a summary with additional information at next weeks ECAD meeting but wanted to give you an early heads up.

From: Hamera, Donald

Sent: Friday, May 24, 2019 9:20 AM

To: Green, Jamie <Green.Jamie@epa.gov>; Weekley, Erin <weekley.erin@epa.gov>

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Regards Don

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